

GREENE LIKES NEW PLACE

Former Superintendent of Insane Asylum Returns on Visit.

MERIT SYSTEM IN ILLINOIS

Laboratory at Kankakee for Benefit of Doctors in that and Other Asylums in State—New High School Building.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Dec. 12.—(Special.)—Dr. James L. Greene, formerly superintendent of the insane asylum here, accompanied by Mrs. Greene, is visiting friends in Lincoln. They will leave Tuesday and before going back to Illinois Dr. Greene may go to Oskola and see former Governor Mickey.

Dr. Greene is now superintendent of an Illinois asylum located at Kankakee and is expressed himself as being well pleased with the place, though his heart still lingers around Nebraska and Lincoln.

"I secured from the legislature an appropriation of \$30,000," said Dr. Greene, "with which to establish a laboratory in which to study diseases of the mind. This laboratory is for the benefit of the state and is the central workshop of all the insane institutions. All of the asylum physicians of the various institutions took a course in this laboratory. Then Dr. Singer, who was formerly at Norfolk, visits each of the institutions in turn and gives lectures. He remains each about two weeks. All of the time we have two of the employees of an institution at work in the laboratory for a short period. Then these two give way to others and thus each member of the medical staff secures the benefit of the training.

"We give employment to a physician when he comes to us with ill-earned endorsements. He becomes an interne. Then by merit he is promoted to a junior assistant physician, then senior assistant, and finally physician in charge. All employment is solely on merit.

"I notice that Dr. Young has recommended the establishment of a central laboratory, and I hope the Nebraska legislature will follow that recommendation. It is a good one.

"Nebraska should not change the heads of its asylums every time an administration changes. It is bad for the wards of the state. The physicians should be selected and kept solely under the merit system."

Barnes Moves to Lincoln.

Judge John B. Barnes of the supreme court has removed with his family to Lincoln and today is getting located at 1104 D street. The constitutional amendment recently adopted providing for an enlargement of the supreme court provided also that the judges should all reside in Lincoln. It is in accordance with that law that the move is made.

Year for Carrying Revolver.

Gus Grigich got a year in the penitentiary from Judge Frost today because he carried a revolver. Several nights ago Grigich, who was infatuated with Mrs. Beattie Lloyd, saw his lady love walking home with another man and he promptly sent a shot after the couple. No harm was done and all the parties were arrested. Grigich told the court he had been in the habit of carrying a revolver for several years.

Boy Buys Cigarettes.

Herschel Kline, a 15-year-old boy, bought a box of cigarettes from James Heagy, a clerk in the Cole-McKenna cigar store, today, and as a result the clerk was arrested and his trial set for Monday morning.

New High School Building.

The city school board has invited the Commercial club, the Women's club, the Art association and the City Improvement society to appoint committees to assist in studying up on the matter of a new high school building and offer suggestions as to what kind of a building should be erected.

Stolen Property Recovered.

BEATRICE, Neb., Dec. 12.—(Special Telegram.)—Two more alleged crooks who are thought to have been implicated in the robbery of two stores at Diller and Steele City

were arrested last night in a rooming house at Wymore and taken to Fairbury and lodged in jail. The officers forced their way into the room occupied by the two, where they found a lot of merchandise. The property was later identified by Diller parties as the goods stolen from a store there last week. When the men were arrested they had in their possession two revolvers. They refused to give their names.

BROKEN BOW COMMERCIAL CLUB

Hundred Fifty Business Men Meet to Form Organization.

BROKEN BOW, Neb., Dec. 12.—(Special.)—At the Temple theater last night 150 representative business men and citizens assembled to form a Commercial club.

At the close of the banquet Mayor George, who acted as toastmaster, introduced prominent speakers who took up various topics of interest connected with the city and the organization of the club. After this, the regular organization was effected and the constitution and by-laws taken up section by section and adopted.

The membership is unlimited, anybody who desires being eligible. There is no membership fee, but each assessment will be made on the members as the board of directors find necessary to further the interests of the city, the maximum of which was placed at \$10 per quarter. This amount will be graded according to the business and property interests of the members and their assessments would probably run as low as \$1 for some who are not in active business, or whose income from business is light.

A board of seven directors, consisting of H. Lomax, E. C. House, W. A. George, R. Ryerson, C. F. Bowman, C. S. Martin and H. B. Drake were elected by unanimous action. This board has authority to elect the president and secretary, and at a special meeting today elected H. Lomax of the Custer National bank, president, and E. C. House, secretary.

It was expected that H. M. Bushnell of Lincoln, president of the State Association of Commercial clubs, would be present and deliver an address; but he was unable to attend and his letter of regret, together with other letters of encouragement from people residing at a distance, was read before the gathering. The banquet was served by the Ladies' Library association of Broken Bow.

Many Robbed at Seward.

SEWARD, Neb., Dec. 12.—(Special Telegram.)—Five business houses were robbed here last night by persons who have not yet been traced. Cash boxes and safes were pried open where possible, but the entire haul did not net more than \$5. The losers were: Haynes & Storey Lumber company, Herpolsheimer's implement house, John Hughes' plumbing mill, Bell Telephone company's supply house and the Harrison elevator.

Robert Metzler Not Guilty.

PONCA, Neb., Dec. 12.—(Special.)—The jury in the district court gave the verdict of "not guilty" in the case of the State against Robert Metzler of Newcastle. Judge Groves dismissed the jury in the criminal court for this term. The court has tried five criminal cases, with four convictions and one acquittal.

Nebraska News Notes.

GENEVA—After a concert given by Miss Claire Owen, music instructor of the schools, last night, the Geneva basket ball boys played Beaver Crossing, resulting in a victory for the former, 20 to 42.

GENEVA—The new Episcopal rectory is now finished and Rev. A. E. Cash and family have moved in. The fine new home of Mr. Sid Donisthorpe is also finished and the Donisthorpes are quite an addition to the city.

GENEVA—The Geneva Equal Suffrage club gave a chicken pie dinner and supper last night, about twenty miles south of here, in the basement of the high school building today, the proceeds to go towards the salary of the music teacher, which the club pays.

VALENTINE—A pretty wedding took place yesterday at the ranch of Mr. Baker, about twenty miles south of here, when Miss Lulu Korte, a daughter of Mrs. Baker, and Sam Hudson were united in marriage. Rev. Mr. Baker of the Methodist church of this city officiating.

VALENTINE—Mr. Morrissey, an attorney of this city, received a letter this morning from a man named Thompson from Brown county, wanting him to have a certain deed cancelled, claiming it to be a forgery. The deed in question is made out to a party named Sutton and he is not known around here, but Mr. Marty, a real estate

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414-16-18 South 16th Street.



Writing Desk

(Like Illustration.) This is one of our newest patterns. Comes in solid mahogany, inside and out. The top lid is supplied with the very best of brass braces. The interior is conveniently arranged and finely finished. Has one large drawer under the writing bed. This is 27 inches wide. Price, each.....\$14

PIANO BENCHES—Golden oak, imitation mahogany, solid mahogany and ebony finish. Some arranged so the lid lifts up, which affords a receptacle for music. Some with wood tops and others upholstered in hair cloth. A variety of patterns, ranging from.....\$6.75 to \$32

MUSIC CABINETS—Very pretty Music Cabinets, polished finish, quarter-sawn oak or mahogany finish. A very large assortment of the medium, popular priced ones, ranging from.....\$4.75 \$6 \$7 \$8 \$9 and \$10

Some exquisite patterns in genuine mahogany at from.....\$27 to \$50

TABOURETTES—A new stock just received. These come in quarter-sawn golden oak, weathered oak, imitation and solid mahogany. Some very pretty patterns at.....\$1 \$1.45 \$2 \$2.75 \$3.50 and \$4

INDIA STOOLS—The firmly constructed kind, in oak and mahogany finish. Prices.....\$1.25 and \$1.50

Art and Craft Rocker

(Like Illustration.)

We have this in the rocker or chair made of the best quality of oak, weathered finish, large full size rocker, very comfortable with a loose Spanish leather cushion. Price each

\$11

We are now showing an extremely large line of Arts and Crafts Furniture, Stickley Bros.' make, in both the weathered and the new nut brown stained finish. Tables, desks, chairs, magazine stands, sofas, etc.

FOLDING CARD TABLES in square and round tops, wood and cloth covered tops. Some arranged with checker board or chess top. Prices.....\$2.50 to \$4.00

We are also agents for the Barrows Feather Weight Card Tables.

MINOR CABINETS in golden oak, mahogany finish and white enamel, with and without mirror. Prices.....\$3.25 to \$25

Desk or Dresser Clock

(Like Illustration.)

This is a pretty mission pattern, fitted with a good time keeping clock. The frame work is finished in Early English oak. Stands 7 1/2 inches high, base is 2 1/2 inches wide, 4 1/2 inches long. Special, each.....\$2.50

Solid Mahogany Desk or Dresser Clocks at \$3 and \$3.75

Trunk and Suit Case Department

We just received an almost entire new line and can show you the greatest assortment in the city. Anything from a telescope to a wardrobe trunk.

TRAVELING BAGS for Ladies and Gentlemen. An unusual assortment in new styles and shapes from \$7.50 to \$15

Fitted Ladies' Bags from.....\$18.00 to \$45.00

SUIT CASES for Ladies or Gentlemen.....\$2.75 to \$15

Fitted Suit Cases from.....\$15.00 to \$25.00

WARDROBE TRUNK—The most complete trunk made fitted with trays and compartments, price from \$45 to \$75

Wardrobe trunks, suit cases, and other luggage, all of the latest styles and at low prices.

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The thoughtfulness of the donor is fully shown when giving useful articles. They are much more appreciated by the recipient. This great store offers a much broader selection of articles for gifts than anyone would imagine. They are the substantial pleasing kind. It makes no difference what your appropriation may be we surely can offer a choice from an assortment large enough to satisfy the most exacting.

Toys! Toys! Toys!

First Floor.

Our toy stock is the biggest, brightest and best in the west. Stocks of the greatest toy makers of France and Germany have been searched for novelties and we have imported for this display the greatest number of novel, attractive, instructive and interesting toys we have ever had the pleasure of showing.

We can not begin to describe the articles, but invite you to visit the greatest of all toy emporiums. Bring the little ones to see our mechanical window. The convenient Toy Department—Main Floor.

Holiday Sale Oriental Rugs

We have just received the last shipment of the selected Oriental Rugs for our Annual Holiday Sale. It is a beautiful display of choice pieces. These rugs were selected for their richness in color, character of design and perfection in weave.

This great display comprises a stock of more than \$40,000. We call special attention to the very large assortment of small rugs arranged in lots from \$16 to \$35

INSPECTION INVITED.

Christmas Rugs

Our entire second floor devoted to the showing of Christmas Rugs. Here you will find Rugs to suit any taste and purse.

30-inchx60-inch Utopia Axminster Rugs.....\$4.25
27-inchx54-inch Sanford Axminster Rugs.....\$2.50
36-inchx72-inch Sanford Axminster Rugs.....\$2.50
18-inchx36-inch Bundhar Rug.....\$2.15
36-inchx36-inch Bundhar Rug.....\$4.75
22 1/2-inchx36-inch Anglo Persian Rugs.....\$4.25
26-inchx54-inch Smyrna Rugs.....\$3.00
30-inchx60-inch Smyrna Rugs.....\$3.85
36-inchx60-inch Axminster Rugs.....\$9.75
30-inchx60-inch Mohair Rugs.....\$7.25
28-inchx60-inch Fur Rugs.....\$6.00

Carpet Sweepers for Gifts

We carry a full line of Bissel Sweepers. The famous Bissel Gold Medal Sweeper.....\$3.00

Shirt Waist Boxes

Matting covers. A desirable Christmas gift.....\$3.95
\$4.75 \$6 \$8.75 and up.
TABLE COVERS—All sizes, \$1.25 each and up.

Couch Covers, 60 inches wide, 3 yards long.....\$5 each.

Bed Covers in Cotton, with bolster cover, \$3.75 and \$6.75.

Bed Covers in Irish Flannel, with bolster cover, \$18.75 and \$30.

Candle Shades

With silk lining and fringe, 70c and up.

Candlesticks in brass, silver and copper, \$1 each and up.

Japanese Bronze Vases, 95c up to \$7 each.

Brass Jardinières, \$1 each and up.

Brass Jardinières (like cut), 7-inch, \$6.50. 9-inch, \$9.

English Breakfast Set, \$8.15.

Japanese Novelties in Teas, Bon Bon Dishes, 35c each and up.

Ash Trays, in hammered copper, with cigar lighter in center, at each.....\$2.00

Electric Reading Lamps—a wonderful assortment in all styles, at, each.....\$6.50 to \$75.00

Special Mention

It is worth anyone's time to look through this, the finest furniture and home furnishing store in the country. More than eighty thousand square feet of floor space filled with attractive articles for beautifying the home.

A most cordial invitation is extended to one and all to "Walk In and Look Around."

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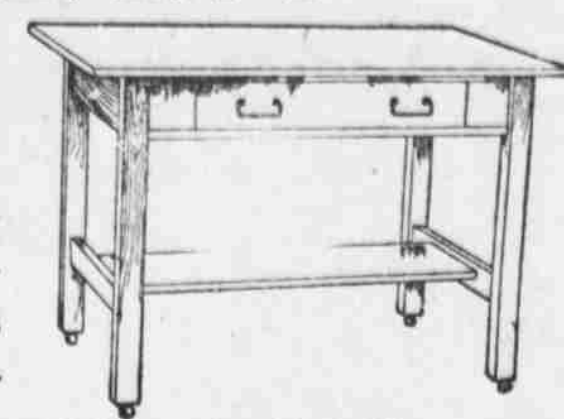
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Mission Library Table

(Like Illustration)

Made of select quarter sawed white oak, weathered finish, best of construction. Top is 36 inches long and 24 inches wide. Has one large drawer, also an under shelf; very special at, each.....\$7.25

BOOK BLOCKS in solid mahogany and quarter-sawn oak, new styles for use on tables and desks, pair.....\$4.50 to \$6

MAHOGANY CANDLESTICKS AND CANDELABRAS—Made of solid mahogany, dull finish. A number of designs, ranging from.....\$1.25 each to, per pair.....\$7

FOOT STOOLS—A very pretty assortment of Foot Stools in mahogany and oak. Some very pretty effects in colonial patterns, upholstered in hair cloth.

VERY SPECIAL—FOOT STOOL in solid mahogany, in a variety of patterns in silk velours and tapestries. Regular \$3.50 values, each.....\$1.75

Morris Chair

(Like Illustration.)

This is one of our best designs. Frame made of solid quarter-sawn white oak or birch mahogany finish. Back is adjustable. Seat is built up with springs, over which is placed a loose reversible cushion. The back also has loose cushion. We have this chair in choice of colors of velvet covered cushions, either plain or figured, at the special price of.....\$9.75

WORK TABLES—Our large line of these pretty pieces comprises all the latest styles in quarter-sawn golden oak, mahogany finish and genuine mahogany. Some very pretty ones at \$8.50—others at \$10 \$11.50 \$15.50 and so on up to the finest at.....\$55

GOLD FRAME MIRRORS—A large, new assortment just arrived. These come in oblong square effects and ovals, in carved and plain frames. This is a beautiful line of Gold Frame Mirrors, ranging in price from \$7 to \$32

Smoker's Stand

(Like illustration)

Made of solid mahogany, fitted with satin brass combination match box holder, cigar holder, and ash tray.

Stands 27 inches high, top is 7 inches in diameter. Special, each.....\$2.50

Stove and Kitchen Department

In Basement

Here are to be found thousands of articles that make suitable and substantial gifts.

Chafing Dishes, nickel and copper, \$3.50, \$4 up to.....\$25

Coffee Percolators, up from.....\$2.00

Five O'clock Teas, up from.....\$2.50

Crumb Trays and Scrapers, up from.....\$2.50

Serving Trays, a large assortment, each, from 30c to.....\$9

Carving Sets, up from.....\$2.50

Berry Spoons, Gravy Ladles, Cold Meat Forks, Rorer's Knives and Forks, Etc., in great variety.

Aluminum Ware

In Tea Kettles, Skillets, Double Cookers, Preserving Kettles, Coffee and Tea Pots, in a great variety of styles and prices.

Waste Baskets, Hampers and Basonettes. We show a large line of pretty novel and attractive waste baskets in our House Furnishing Department.

Automobile Lunch Baskets.....\$7.50 \$12.50 and \$18.00

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The New Store
King-Swanson Co.
16TH & HOWARD STS.
The Home of Quality Clothes

Practical Christmas Gifts

A majority of people prefer giving useful gifts. Things to wear are the most appreciated and the least expensive. They bring thoughts of the giver whenever worn and are not carelessly thrown aside. Give useful presents